

# **Peregrine Falcon Road to Recovery**

**1970—Peregrine falcon is added to Endangered Species List**

**Recovery teams develop Regional recovery plans**

**Recovery actions implemented, including:**

**Protect/enhance habitat,  
Minimize disturbance/mortality,  
Monitor contaminants (DDT),  
Reintroduce captive-bred birds**

**Recovery objectives achieved including number of breeding pairs**

**June 30, 1995—Service publishes notice of intent to propose delisting of the peregrine falcon**

**August 26, 1998—Service proposes to remove peregrine falcon from Endangered Species List**

**Service receives and evaluates comments on proposal**

**August 25, 1999—Service removes peregrine falcon from Endangered Species List**

**2003—Service and partners implement monitoring plan**



**If status declines significantly, the species can be relisted**

**If status remains stable or improves, ESA monitoring is ended**